SENATE BILL 2917

By Burchett

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 39, Chapter 16, Part 6, relative to interference with operations of government.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 39-16-602(c), is amended by designating the existing language as (c)(1) and by adding the following new (c)(2):

(2) A person who knows or should know that a legal writ or other process is attempting to be served or executed by a public employee or a private person with the authority to serve process but who refuses to accept the writ or process violates subdivision (c)(1).

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect July 1, 2010, the public welfare requiring it.